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Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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Application Number	10/624,461
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Examiner Name	Pape, Joseph
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2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE

Total Claims	Independent Claims	Multiple Dependent	Extra Claims	Fee from below	Fee Paid
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1202 18	2202 9	Claims in excess of 20
1201 86	2201 43	Independent claims in excess of 3
1203 290	2203 145	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid
1204 86	2204 43	** Reissue independent claims over original patent
1205 18	2205 9	** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent
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3. ADDITIONAL FEES

Large Entity Small Entity

Fee Code (\$)	Fee (\$)	Fee Code (\$)	Fee (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
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1052 50	2052 25	1052 25	2052 25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	
1053 130	2053 130	1053 130	2053 130	Non-English specification	
1812 2,520	1812 2,520	1812 2,520	1812 2,520	For filing a request for <i>ex parte</i> reexamination	
1804 .920*	1804 .920*	1804 .920*	1804 .920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
1805 1,840*	1805 1,840*	1805 1,840*	1805 1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
1251 110	2251 55	1251 55	2251 55	Extension for reply within first month	
1252 420	2252 210	1252 210	2252 210	Extension for reply within second month	
1253 950	2253 475	1253 475	2253 475	Extension for reply within third month	
1254 1,480	2254 740	1254 740	2254 740	Extension for reply within fourth month	
1255 2,010	2255 1,005	1255 1,005	2255 1,005	Extension for reply within fifth month	
1401 330	2401 165	1401 165	2401 165	Notice of Appeal	
1402 330	2402 165	1402 165	2402 165	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
1403 290	2403 145	1403 145	2403 145	Request for oral hearing	
1451 1,510	1451 1,510	1451 1,510	1451 1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
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1453 1,330	2453 665	1453 665	2453 665	Petition to revive - unintentional	
1501 1,330	2501 665	1501 665	2501 665	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
1502 480	2502 240	1502 240	2502 240	Design issue fee	
1503 640	2503 320	1503 320	2503 320	Plant issue fee	
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Applicant: Böhm, et al.
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Filed: 07/22/2003
Group Art Unit: 3612
Examiner: Pape, Joseph
Title: VEHICLE ROOF MODULE

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

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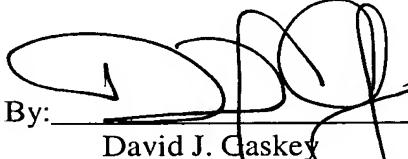
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Applicant notes that the German document 197 09 016 corresponds to U.S. Patent No. 6,367,872, which is already of record in this application. Applicant also notes that the EP 1 088 749 document corresponds to U.S. Patent No. 6,378,936.

Applicant respectfully requests that the Examiner consider the enclosed and make the cited references of record in this application.

Respectfully submitted,

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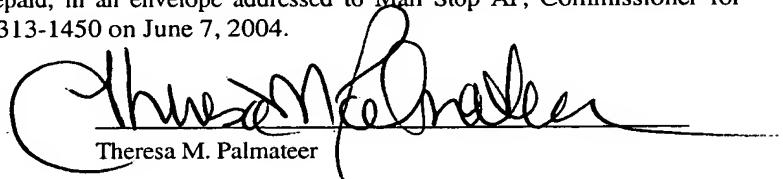
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